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Sir:

Your Petitioner, Evelyn A. Defillo, hereby states that I am an authorized representative acting on behalf of Centro de Investigacion Cientifica y de Educacion Superior de Ensenada (CICESE) and Centro de Investigacion de Materiales Avanzados (CIMAV), the Owners of the entire right, title and interest of Application No. 10/792,163 filed on March 3, 2004, entitled "ALARM CONDITION DISTRIBURED FIBER OPTIC SENSOR WITH STORAGE TRANSMISSION-REFLECTION ANALYZER". The invention claimed in Application No. 10/792,163 (present) and the invention claimed in U.S. Patent No. 6,753,520 (other) were, at the time the present invention was made, owned by, or subject to an obligation of assignment to, the same entities.

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